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SUBJECT : Herringbone Surface-to-Air Missile Site E-15
NO : PIC/JB-1003/60.
DATE : 26 July 1960
LOCATION: 44 nm SE of Moscow, USSR
COORD: 55°09'35"N 38°22'40"E



FIGURE 1. HERRINGBONE SAM SITE E-15. This section of Air Target Mosaic 0167-10/3MA shows the predicted location of Site E-15 in black and the actual location of the site in red.

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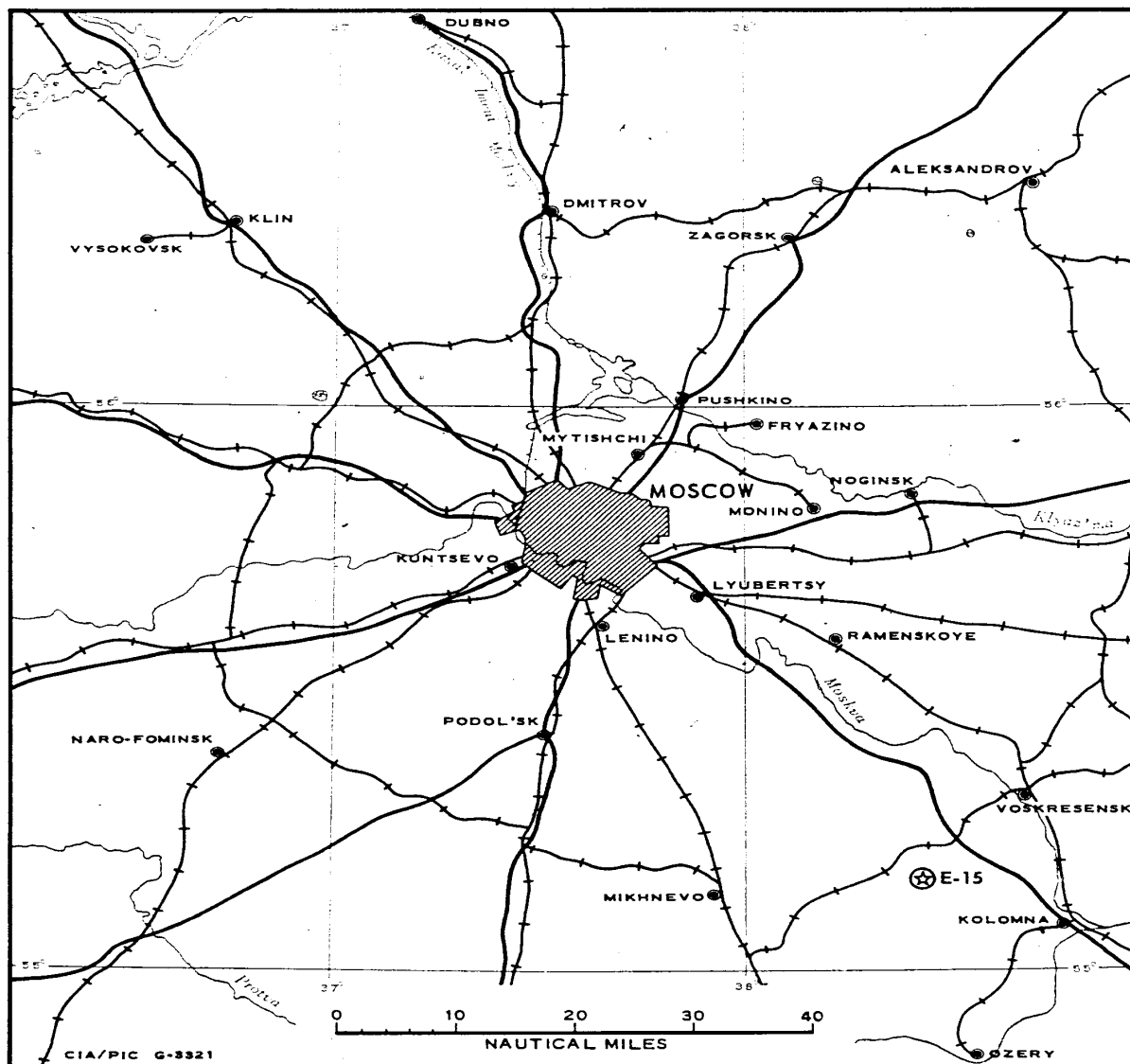


FIGURE 2. LOCATION OF MOSCOW HERRINGBONE SAM SITE E-15.

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REFERENCE POINT:

The Kremlin, 55°45'N - 37°37'E.

LOCATION:

44 nm southeast of reference point.

FUNCTION:

One of a group of sites deployed for the defense of Moscow.

SITE STATUS:

Probably complete and operational.

REMARKS:

This is the first known photographic coverage of Herringbone SAM Site E-15.

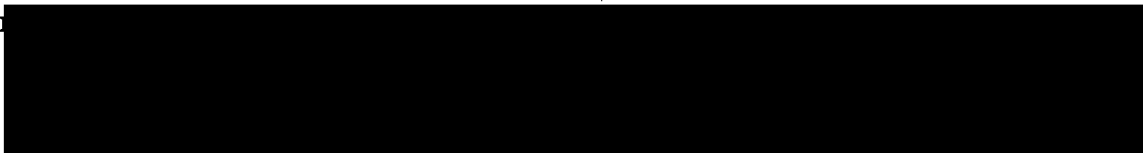
Site is irregularly-shaped, and is located in a generally cleared area on the outer herringbone defense ring.

Although the single small-format aerial photograph is of extremely poor quality, visible service roads indicate that Site E-15 probably has 60 launch points. Poor quality of the photograph precludes identification of a Yo-Yo radar or housing facility, both of which are normally associated with this type of site.

MAPS OR CHARTS:

ACIC. US Air Target Mosaic - Series 50, 0167-10/3MA, 1st Ed, Dec 58, scale 1:50,000 (C)

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